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PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Ryuji NISHIKAWA

Serial No: 09/447,378

Filed: November 23, 1999

For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time extending to March 17, 2003 (first business day after March 15, 2003), the period for response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2002. A check for \$110 is enclosed. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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